

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Nakhla et al. Appl. No.: 10 784 890 Filed: 2/24/04

Title : LIQUID-SOLID CIRCUIT

LIQUID-SOLID CIRCULATING FLUIDIZED BED WASTE WATER TREATMENT SYSTEM FOR SIMULTANEOUS CARBON, NITROGEN

AND PHOSPHORUS REMOVAL

Grp./A.U.: 1724

Examiner : Ivars C. Cintins

Docket No.: 14624CIP

Honorable Commissioner of Patents

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

It is respectfully requested that a 2 month extension of time, until November 22, 2006, be granted in which to respond to the Initial Office Action dated June 22, 2006. The statutory fee of \$225.00 for the 2 month extension is attached. Any deficiencies in the extension of time fees may be charged to Deposit Account No. 04-1577.

Respectfully submitted,

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